

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the application of	)	
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Hsu, et al	)	Group Art Unit: 2627
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Application No. 10/815,286	)	Examiner: RENNER, Craig A.
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Filed: 03/31/2004	)	Attorney Docket No.
	)	HIT1P061/HSJ920030261US1
For: TRAILING EDGE TAPER	)	
DESIGN FOR PERPENDICULAR	)	
HEAD WITH SHIELDING	)	Date: December 11, 2006
(as amended)	)	
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Amendment A

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Examiner:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 13, 2006, please consider the amendments and comments.